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CHEERFUL

Mrs. Bonine Confident.

State Will Finish Its Case This Week.

The Prisoner Comforted by Relatives.

Number of Witnesses Will be Reduced.

Washington, Nov. 25.—(Spl.)—With By the end of the week, the government will have completed its case and the defense will begin presenting testimony for Mrs. Ida Bonine, charged with the murder of James Seymour Ayres, the young census office clerk. Great Damage Along

The government's theory is that Mrs. Lonine ascended to Ayres' room in the Kenmore hotel by means of the fire escape, and shot him down when he sprang from his bed to see who the intruder could be-that the killing of Ayres was a cold blooded murder not preceded by any quarrel or struggle.

The defense alleges that the torn condition of Ayres' undershirt is only one of the many circumstances that confute this theory. Although there was no evidence of disorder in the room, such as overturned furniture, when the police arrived, Mrs. Bonine's lawyers state that the only moveable article of furniture in the room was a rocking chair; and this, they say, could have been bumped into repeatedly without upsetting.

Mrs. Bonine is a model prisoner. Deputy Springman, the veteran jan guard, who has had charge of every person accused of murder in the past twenty years, in the District of Columbia brings her from the jail in a covof her sons or her sister, Mrs. Meacham, goes to the jail early in the morning to ride to the court with her.

At noon, with her two boys, her sister and brother and husband, she has her lunch in a room in the basement. Chetsburry river. It is big enough to of Miss Ellen Stone, had received no This lunch is brought to the court from admit Patten Line steamboats. home by one of the boys

"She is a remarkably bright woman, said Deputy Springman this morning. "In all my experience I have never had a more agreeable prisoner. She never mentions the tracedy in my presence, and, of course, I never ask her any questions bearing on it. She is cheerful and confident. She talks well on any subject, and is very entertaining."

District Attorney Gould has found it impracticable to call all of the sixty witnesses the government first determined to place on the stand. Only shout half this number will be placed on the stand.

Miss Pauline Hemry, a sister of Mrs. Bonine, has left her home in St. Joseph, Mo., for Washington, to attend the trial. Mrs. Hemry, Mrs. Bonine's mother, intended coming to Washington, but a sudden sick spell rendered it impossible for her to travel.

FIRE-WATER

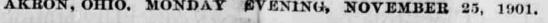
Put Comanches on the War Path.

Fifty White People Driven From Their Homes.

Wichita, Kas., Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-Reports from Watonga, Okla., state that about fifty white people, comprising the entire white population, has been driven from Cantonement by drunken Comanche Indians. Willis Perkins is said to be fatally injured, having been shot while defending his home. Several women were shot. White Nose, who led the Indians, together with seven other halfbreeds, have been placed in jail in Watonga. The Comanches are in bad humor of late because of alleged mistreatment in the matter of getting their regular payments from the government. Troops at Fort Sill and El Reno have been ordered as a precautionary measure, to be in readiness.

The Weather:

CLOUDY TONIGHT SNOW; TUESDAY, FAIR, EXCEPT OCCASIONAL SNOW FLURRIES, WITH WEST WINDS.





Three Lives Lost and Property Destroyed.

Not Yet Past.

New York, Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-Three lives are known to have been lost, one big ship, the Flottbek, is stranded at Long Branch, and thousands of dollars damage has been done to property along the New Jersey and Long Island coasts by a Georgia hurricane, which came tumbling up coast late Saturday night, and still continues. Small craft have been wrecked by the score, boathouses and bath houses without number have been swept away, and board walks and ocean plers damaged some beyond repair. The whole of the Great iron pier at Long Branch, a hundred feet long, was carried away.

in her bottom.

New York, Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-The ocean tug Navigator arrived in port holding out for the full amount of the today and reports the loss of her tow ransom originally claimed and say of three barges off Squan Beach, N. that if the money is not paid by Jan-J. Two of the barges, the H. A. Haw- uary 1, 1902, they will certainly kill good and the Mercodita, foundered, her. The crews were saved. The other barge, the Davis, stranded at Squan Beach, her crew of two men drowned An immense fleet, ocean steamers thought, it well to keep at sea while When the Safe Blew Up, Scared the wind was blowing and came into port today with stories of rough ex-

Boston, Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-The first gale of the season is sweeping along the New England coast. It made itself evident late Saturday night and yesterday raged with increased fury, accompanied by a sleet and rain storm.

This morning the wind is still blowing fiercely and the rain beats down with killing velocity. All the sailing craft in Boston harbor had been warn ed not to proceed outside. Many yessels were caught below Nantasket roads yesterday and last night and although they threw out double anchors, fore and aft, many of them had a fierce battle to withstand the elements The steamer Bostonian bound to London, attempted to leave port, but she finally gave up the contest with wind and wave and anchored in the lower harbor.

Considerable alarm is felt for the numerous shipping vessels, which, it is known, were close to port yesterday. None has arrived. At the beach resorts the surf beat in with such fierceness that cottages were taken from their foundation and carried back while trees and ocean drives were ru-

JERSEY ANARCHIST.

Milan, Italy, Nov. 25-(Spl)-The trial of the anarchist, Granotti, of Paterson, N. J., who is accused of gun today. Granotti is charged with Co. having accompanied Bresci at the fire at the King, in case Bresci failed. will undoubtedly be accomplished. As quesne hotel." Merlino, who was Bresci's lawyer, yet, we have no authority to announce "A conference in the interest of the litively known that a New York man is defending Granotti.

Storm Continues and Danger Is Say Miss Stone Must Die.

BRIGANDS

Will Kill Her If Money Is Not Paid.

Holding Out For Full Amount First Demanded.

London, Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Sofia, dated Saturday, says that up to that time, Mr. Dickinson, American Consul General at Constantinople, and a spe-At Navesend Highlands the sea cut cial diplomatic representative to Bula new island from the Atlantic to garla, in the matter of the abduction reply to the ultimatum he had sent to The cup defender Columbia, which the brigands offering to pay \$75,000 had been housed at Guy Island, was for the release of Miss Stone. Mr. blown from her ways, and a hole stove Dickinson has returned to Constanti-

nople. The abductors of Miss Stone are

BIG NOISE,

Burglars Away.

safe in the general store of Jacob El- Following a bitter quarrel, his wife tel, at Lock Bourne, near Columbus, took their baby and fled to her father, was blown by robbers last night. The Jacob Stokes, who lives a few miles explosion was evidently so heavy that distant. the robbers feared they would be Wilking followed and sent a bullet and nearly choked him to death. They caught, for they departed without get- through the ear of Mrs. Stokes, when ting anything. The outer dor of the she came out to meet her daughter. safe was blown entirely off. The rob- He then turned his gun on Jacob of the city. He is in the hospital tobers left all their tools behind.

Associated Press and New Building. The Akron Democrat Company was today admitted to

membership in The Associated Press, and beginning with Monday, Dec. 2, will carry the full leased wire daily news service of that Association.

On last Saturday, the Chapman block, at the Southwest corner of Min street and Broadway, opposite the City Huilding, was purchased, and as soon as it can be remodeled, will be occupied by the Company's offices and plant. The building is of two stories with basement and will afford ample room for the Company's increasing bus-THE PUBLISHERS.

BOY

Met Him With a Shot and gained entrance. He was met by Gun

And Sent a Would-Be Murderer to His Death.

Marietta, Ohio, Nov 25-(Spl)-Robert Wilking, who lived near Beverly, was instantly killed last night after Columbus, O., Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-The trying to murder his wife's parents.

Stokes, wounding him in the nose and day in a critical condition.

eye, and sending a bullet into his side which may prove fatal.

Still pursuing his wife. Wilking shot the lock off the doro of Stokes house the 18 year-old son of Stokes, who covered him with a shotgun and fired. The charge passed through Wilking-s neck and he fell dead. Some years ago Wilking's uncle left him \$40,000, which he squandered in dissipation.

LASSO

Used by Highwaymen In Cleve

Cleveland, Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-Highwaymen with a large lasso caught Gustave Himrich, a rich New York furrier, around the neck last night, beat him over the head and took diamonds worth \$250 from him. Himrich was asaulted on Oak st., in the heart

THE NEW STEEL COMBINE IS AN ASSURED FACT.

Definite Announcement Made In New York---Cuyahoga Plant at Cuyahoga Falls Will be Included.

New York, Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-Freder-, head of the new combine. ick H. Clarke, of the law firm of Blymer, Hobbs and Stover, of this city,

new steel combine

had been stated and it will practically include all of the big independent com-

the names of those who will be at the combination will be held either at the was doing the work.

"During the past week several prom-

inent steel men from Pennsylvania and Ohio have been in town, among them trust?" confirms the rumored formation of a Henry C. Frick, of Pittsburg, and the Messrs, Wick, of Youngstown, in the The new trust will be a monster interest of the new company. The concern, will have a capitalization of plans for the organization are now \$200,000,000 instead of \$100,000,000, as well under way and there is little probability that anything will occur to prevent their consummation.

"Wm. H. Blymer, of our firm has being an accomplice of Bresci, the panies of the country with the excep- been for several days past in the Ohio assassin of King Humbert, was be tion of the Colorado Fuel and Iron coal and iron districts perfecting the at Cuyahoga Falls will be a part or details of the combination. He will this combine. When the majority of Clarke says: "We are authorized to be in Pittsburg today and will meet stock was sold a few weeks ago, nomtime of the killing of Humbert, and announce that the organization of the Mr. Frick and other prominent men in inally to the Hartman Manufacturing with having had a revolver ready to new combine is well under way and the iron and steel industry at the Du- Co., it was evident that a new com-

| Holland house or the Waldorf Astoria. "Is the new corporation being formed for the purpose of fighting the

"No: there is no such idea. The new company will simply do business in the ordinary way."

"What will be the name of the new corporation?"

"That has not yet been decided up-

bine was being formed and it was pos-

Speaks Out.

Vote Fell Off.

Gen. Sherwood Points

Out the Reason.

Kinley Monument.

(Special Correspondence.)

has been going on in his absence.

Columbus, O., Nov. 25,-General I

Speaking of the recent campaign,

General Sherwood said without hesi-

tation that the omission of an en-

dorsement of the Kansas City Plat-

of the large stay-at-home vote in the

He referred to Cincinnati and said

that Hon, Harlan Cleveland and Jud-

son Harmon promised great things

from that section of the State if the

platform made no reference to the

Kansas City Platform, "Well, you

saw how I came out. With these men

back in the harness the party ran be-

hind the vote two years ago when

the platform was radical. The loss in

Cincinnati alone was more than 5,000.

It would seem that the return to the

party of Harlan Cleveland and Mr.

Harmon did even more harm than

"People are afraid of a party which

is continually shifting in its plat-

form utterances. They fear its stabil-

ity. The party last summer should

have simply and naturally reaffirmed

the Democratic national platform, but

instead it rejected it and that, too

in a most offensive manuer to many

"The only real vitality in the Demo

cratic campaign was the fight made

by Johnson. He had something to

talk about, a reform to advocate and

he had the people with him, as the

result shows, but the Democrats over

the remainder of the State were in-

Speaking of the campaign in the

Northwest, General Sherwood said

that he was surprised to some extent

at the failure of Col. Kilbourne to get

a larger vote in Lucas county, "but,"

said the General, "the management

up there was incompetent. The right

"I see Columbus is trying to raise

money for a local monument for Mc-

Kinley. I think this a mistake. To-

ledo is doing the same thing. There

is no reason why these cities should

do this. To be sure it is all right to

erect a monument to McKinley as a

national character, but why should

Columbus or Toledo build a monument

to McKinley? He was only a national

character to them. The monument

ought to be built in Canton where

his remains are. If the other cities

want to contribute let them give to the

Canton monument. If Toledo must

build a monument let her build it to

Chief Justice Waite or one of her

other great men, and if Columbus

must build a monument why not build

people were not in command.

Democratic party.

Commissioners Have Made Up Their Minds.

Contracts.

READY

Award Jail

But Are Waiting Till the \$65,000 Is In the Treasury.

The County Commissioners are ready to award the contracts for building the new jail, and will do so as soon as Auditor Sisler certifies that the \$65,000, proceeds of the bond sale, is in the treasury.

Auditor Sisier expects to be able to do this Tuesday, and the contracts will be awarded forthwith. The Commissioners have made up their minds on the bids, but will not announce the successful bidder till the money arrives from the bond buyers-Dennison, Prior & Co., of Cleveland. The Veteran Editor bonds have just been printed, according to designs of Denison, Prior & Co., approved by Auditor Sisier, and are expected here Monday evening. If they come, Auditor Sisler will take them to Cleveland Tuesday and ob-

Why the Democratic tain the money. The first meeting of the North End Athletic club, to be held in the new quarters after the completion of the work of moving, will be the meeting Monday night. All of the apparatus which will be used by the club has been placed in position, and new appliances will soon be received, to add to the equipment. Applications for membership have already been re-The Question of Building Mcceived from a number of down-town business men, and a rapid growth is now predicted for the club.

TREASURE SHIP.

R. Sherwood is in the city. He has been out of the State since election Diver Declares He Has Located and says that he is not posted on what Lost Vessel.

San Francisco, Nov. 25 -- (Spl.)-Expert Diver Sorenson, who has been searching for the wreck of the Pacific mail steamer, Rlo de Janeiro, since located the sunken treasure ship which has over a half million in valuable cargo and also Consul General Wildman's official papers, which the government is anxious to secure.

His scheme is to move the ship by cable to a more shallow spot and raise it. On board are \$65,000 on general cargo, \$40,000 in block tin and \$400,000 in raw silk. Sorenson will get 70 per cent of all recovered.

IRISH PATRIOT.

Martin Hogan Is Dylng In Cook County Hospital.

Chicago, Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-Martin Hogan, an Irish patriot, rescued from Van Diemans' land, Australia, 1869, by the ship Catalpa, sent out for that purpose, is dying at the county hospital. He is one of the seven men convicted, with John Boyle O'Reilly, in 1866, of treason against the British government and sentenced and afterward reduced to twenty years of penal servitude. Hogan has lived in Chicago for more than a quarter of

TOO MANY SICK.

San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 25 .- (Spl.)-The problem of housing and caring for the consumptives and other invalids by whom this city is overrun is becoming serious. With the approach of cold weather in the north, the influx of the sick has continued until boarding houses, the hotels and the hospitals are filled to overflowing and still the stream keeps coming. A movement is on foot to raise a fund to build a large free hospital to supplement the work of the city hospital.

HAD A TIP.

Westerville, Ohio, Nov. 25-(Spl)-Druggist Frank W. Ranck received a tip that his store was to be burglarized last night. With friends he lay in wait in the store. At midnight two men entered a back window. As soon as they got inside, Ranck opened fire on them, but they escaped without being harmed. George and Jesse Drake of this village are under arrest